

PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q81702

SHIBATA, TAKESHI, et al.

Divisional of Appln. No.: 10/084,933

Confirmation No.: Not Yet Assigned

Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned

Filed: June 14, 2004

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING ORGANIC THIN FILM DEVICE AND TRANSFER
MATERIAL USED THEREIN

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

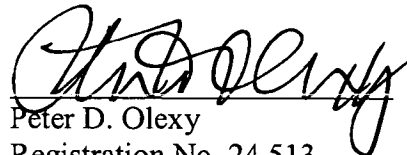
In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §1.56, Applicant hereby notifies the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office of the documents which are listed on the attached PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) form which are all the references of record in parent application No. 10/084,933. Applicant is not submitting duplicate copies of these references but requests that they be listed on the face of any patent granted on the above application. (See 37 CFR §1.98(d)). Copies of any cited copending applications, if not previously submitted, are being submitted herewith.

The submission of the listed documents is not intended as an admission that any such document constitutes prior art against the claims of the present application. Applicant does not

Information Disclosure Statement
Divisional of Application No. 10/ 084,933

waive any right to take any action that would be appropriate to antedate or otherwise remove any
listed document as a competent reference against the claims of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,


Peter D. Olexy
Registration No. 24,513

SUGHRUE MION, PLLC
Telephone: (202) 293-7060
Facsimile: (202) 293-7860

WASHINGTON OFFICE
23373
CUSTOMER NUMBER

Date: June 14, 2004

Substitute for Form 1449 A & B/PTO <u>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT</u> <i>(use as many sheets as necessary)</i>				<i>Complete if Known</i>	
				Divisional of Application Number	10/084,933
				Confirmation Number	Not Yet Assigned
				Filing Date	June 14, 2004
				First Named Inventor	SHIBATA, TAKESHI
				Art Unit	Not Yet Assigned
				Examiner Name	Not Yet Assigned
Sheet	1	of	1	Attorney Docket Number	Q81702

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Exam iner Initia ls*	Cite No. ¹	Document Number		Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document
		Number	Kind Code ² (if known)		
		US 2002/0064966		05-2002	Seki et al.
		US 6,440,877		08-2002	Yamazaki et al.
		US 6,246,070		06-2001	Yamazaki et al.
		US 4,446,399		05-1984	Endo, et al.
		US 5,073,446		12-1991	Scozzafava et al
		US 5,151,629		09-1992	VanSlyke, Steven A.
		US 5,061,569		10-1991	VanSlyke et al.
		US 4,356,429		10-1982	Tang, Ching W.
		US 4,539,507		09-1985	VanSlyke et al
		US 4,999,539		03-1991	Coovet et al.

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Exam iner Initia ls*	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document			Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Transla tion ⁶
		Country Code ³	Number ⁴	Kind Code ⁵ (if known)			
		WO	00/41893	A1	07/20/2000		

NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS			
Exam iner Initia ls*	Cite No. ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city, and/or country where published.	Transla tion ⁶

Examiner Signature		Date Considered	
--------------------	--	-----------------	--

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov, MPEP 901.04 or in the comment box of this document. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST. 3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to indicate here if English language Translation is attached.